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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Natarajan, et al.

Attorney Docket No.: CISC111/1075

Application No.: 09/342,742

Examiner: Dmitry Levitan

Filed: June 29, 1999

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	36	MINUS	39	0	x 9 =	x 18 = 0
Independent Claims	4	MINUS	4	0	x 42 =	x 84 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$140.00	\$280.00
Total					\$	\$0.00

☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.

☒ Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. CISC111).

Respectfully submitted,
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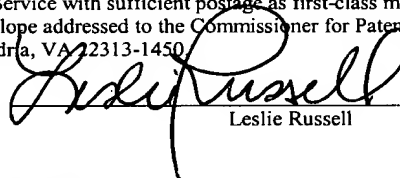
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of April 20, 2004, for which the shortened statutory period for response is set to expire on July 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.